



GAME NOTES

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POSTGAME NOTES

CINCINNATI REDS (44-52) VS. ST. LOUIS CARDINALS (48-46) SUNDAY, JULY 15, 2018

INNINGS - 9	R	H	E	STARTING PITCHER	PITCHES/STRIKES	PITCHER OF RECORD	REC.
Cincinnati	4	8	1	Anthony DeSclafani	57/35	W John Gant	(3-3)
St. Louis	6	7	0	Miles Mikolas	85/55	L Anthony DeSclafani	(4-2)
						SV Jordan Hicks	(2)

FIRST PITCH
1:10 PM

GAMETIME WEATHER
85° - Partly Cloudy

TIME OF GAME
2:53

ATTENDANCE
45,808

SELLOUT
#14

HOME RUNS

TM	PLAYER	NO.	INN.	TYPE	COUNT	OUTS	PITCHER	DISTANCE	EXIT SPEED	CAREER HR
	Matt Carpenter	19	1	Solo	0-0	0	Anthony DeSclafani	407 FT.	105 MPH	116th
	Dexter Fowler	7	2	Solo	3-2	2	Anthony DeSclafani	388 FT.	98 MPH	103rd

CARDINALS NOTES

- Miles Mikolas** made his 19th start of the season, third against the Reds in 2018 (2-0) and third career start (5th appearance) vs. the Reds (2-0)... snapped a string of four straight quality starts...enters the All-Star Break as the 65th different Cardinal to win double-digit games (10-3) prior and first since **Adam Wainwright** last season (10-5).
- Matt Carpenter** hit his 20th career lead-off home run (one behind **Lou Brock** for the franchise mark, 21) and 5th of the season...his five lead-off home runs this season tie the franchise single-season record, shared by Carpenter (2015), **Lou Brock** (1967 & 1970) and **Ray Lankford** (1994)... **Rafael Furcal** (2011) is the last Cardinal to hit lead-off home runs in back-to-back games (August 31 off Randy Wolf at Milwaukee and September 1 off Yovani Gallardo at Milwaukee).
- Paul DeJong** ended his career-high tying nine-game hitting streak (9-30, .300)...has hit safely in seven of eight games since returning from the disabled list on July 6.
- Dexter Fowler** has hit safely in six of 10 games vs. the Reds this season with three multi-hit games...hit his third home run vs. Cincinnati, his most against any opponent this season.
- Yadier Molina** (1-4) batted second in the lineup for the third time this season (6-11, .545) and the 25th time in his career (24-82, .292)
- Tommy Pham** entered the game as a pinch runner in the second inning...recorded multiple hits for the first time since July 5 at San Francisco and first time as a substitute in his career (83 games).
- John Gant** threw 4.0 scoreless innings in relief, most by a Cardinals reliever this season and most since Jaime Garcia (4.0 IP) on September 21, 2016 at Colorado.
- Jordan Hicks** worked around a 9th inning run for a his second save this season...his first career save was June 9, 2018 at Cincinnati.
- Harrison Bader** was removed from the game in the 2nd inning with a mild left knee hyperextension.
- Mike Shildt** officially became the 50th manager in Cardinals franchise history today.
- The **Cardinals** ended a season-high six-game losing streak at home...finished with a 48-46 record at the All-Star Break (43-45 in 2017)...won their 10th game over Cincinnati this season, reaching double-digit wins over the Reds for the 6th straight season...became the first National League team to win 10 games against an opponent this season...sold out their 6th straight game...joined the Los Angeles Dodgers as the only two teams in Major League Baseball to eclipse 2 million fans.

REDS NOTES

- Anthony DeSclafani** made his 8th start of the season, second against the Cardinals in 2018 (1-1) and eighth career start (ninth appearance) vs. the Cardinals (5-2)...his six runs allowed were a season high and his most yielded to the Cardinals in his career.

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- 👁️ **Joey Votto** drew his 15th walk of the season vs. STL, the most by any opposing player against the Cardinals...has drawn the most walks against the Cardinals of any player in 2013 & 2015 (122nd career walk vs. STL)...increased his career hit total vs. St. Louis to 58 over the last five seasons, most by any player against the Cardinals...reached base safely for his 11th straight game.
- 👁️ **Scooter Gennett** has 115 hits pre-All Star Break, the most by a Reds player since **Sean Casey** had 118 in 1999...has an RBI in 4 straight games.
- 👁️ **Jose Peraza** (3-for-4) tallied a hit in six straight plate appearances dating back to yesterday...went 11-for-15 over the three-game series.
- 👁️ **Jesse Winker** set his career-high with a 10-game hitting streak (16-34, .471) collecting a single in the 4th inning.